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Chief Executive Officer

March 25, 2011

To: Supervisor Michael D. Antonovich, Mayor  
Supervisor Gloria Molina  
Supervisor Mark Ridley-Thomas  
Supervisor Zev Yaroslavsky  
Supervisor Don Knabe

From: William T Fujioka  
Chief Executive Officer

Board of Supervisors  
GLORIA MOLINA  
First District

MARK RIDLEY-THOMAS  
Second District

ZEV YAROSLAVSKY  
Third District

DON KNABE  
Fourth District

MICHAEL D. ANTONOVICH  
Fifth District

## 2010 VOLUNTEER HOURS AND 2011 AWARDS LUNCHEON ON APRIL 11, 2011

The County of Los Angeles benefited from the efforts of 41,687 volunteers last year, who donated 3.0 million hours to various department programs. The Independent Sector, a national organization, establishes rates to determine the value of volunteer hours. Using these rates, we calculate the value of County volunteer service hours to be \$64.8 million dollars.

This year, we will honor 27 Youths and 53 Adults at the 29th Annual Volunteer of the Year Recognition and Awards luncheon on Monday, April 11, 2011, at 11:30 a.m., in the Grand Hall, Dorothy Chandler Pavilion of the Music Center. We expect more than 400 guests to attend, including department heads and judges from Los Angeles Superior Court.

Our mistress of ceremonies will be broadcast journalist Val Zavala, Vice President of News and Public Affairs for KCET-TV. She also is the anchor for "SoCal Connected," the award-winning news series. Attached are the program timeline (Attachment I), and a listing of volunteer honorees by Supervisorial District (Attachment II).

If you need additional information, please contact me, or your staff may contact Victoria Pipkin-Lane, Director, Office of Workplace Programs, at (213) 974-2495, or Elaine Elizalde at (213) 974-2466.

I look forward to seeing you on Monday, April 11, 2011, as we celebrate the County's "Sparks of Light" volunteer honorees.

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Attachments (2)

c: All Department Heads

*"To Enrich Lives Through Effective And Caring Service"*

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**Program**  
**Volunteer of the Year Recognition and Awards Luncheon**  
**Monday, April 11, 2011**  
**11:30 a.m.**

11:00 a.m.	Prelude/Registration  Music by "Blue Fish"
11:35 a.m.	Introduction of Mistress of Ceremonies, Val Zavala  Victoria Pipkin-Lane, Director CEO Workplace Programs
11:40 a.m.	Presentation of Colors Honor Guard, County of Los Angeles Sheriff's Department  Pledge of Allegiance  Star-Spangled Banner," Donna Neff, Assessor's Office
11:50 a.m.	Lunch  Music by "Blue Fish"
12:20 p.m.	Welcome William T Fujioka Chief Executive Officer
12:25 p.m.	Remarks  Supervisor Gloria Molina First District  Supervisor Mark Ridley-Thomas Second District  Supervisor Zev Yaroslavsky Third District  Supervisor Don Knabe Fourth District  Supervisor Michael D. Antonovich, Mayor Fifth District
12:50 p.m.	Musical Tribute by "Blue Fish"
12:55 p.m.	Presentation of 2011 County Volunteer of the Year Awards  Youth Honorees: Martin Zimmerman, Assistant CEO Adult Honorees: Val Zavala, Mistress of Ceremonies
1:55 p.m.	Acknowledgements

Honorees by Supervisorial District

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Sup District	Youth/Adult	Board Office/Department	Honoree	City	Total	
First District	Youth	Board of Supervisors, First District	Brianna Yagi	La Puente, CA	1	
			Erik Cabrera		1	
		Board of Supervisors, Second District	Adan Rios Jr.	Los Angeles, CA	1	
			Paulette Smith	Compton, CA	1	
		Public Library	Kimberly A. Badescu	Huntington Park, CA	1	
		Public Social Services	Isabel Iliam Cruz Ramirez	Los Angeles, CA	1	
	Youth Total				6	
	Adult	Board of Supervisors, First District	Christy Ramirez	Los Angeles, CA	1	
			David T. Kraft	Los Angeles, CA	1	
			Melba Robinson	Pomona, CA	1	
		Board of Supervisors, Fourth District	Carol Crabtree	City of Industry, CA	1	
		Board of Supervisors, Second District	Jose Abarca	Huntington Park, CA	1	
		Community and Senior Services	Angel Espinoza	El Monte, CA	1	
		Community Development Commission	Hilario Ibarra	South Gate, CA	1	
		Health Services, LAC+USC Healthcare Network	Elia S. Riley	Los Angeles, CA	1	
Health Services, Rancho Los Amigos National Rehabilitation Center		Alexander H. Morales	Montebello, CA	1		
Los Angeles Superior Court	Ms. Rosana Chermisqui	Los Angeles, CA	1			
Mental Health	Tom Phan	El Monte, CA	1			
Museum of Natural History, George C. Page	Dixie Swift	Los Angeles, CA	1			
Probation	Father Gregory Boyle S.J.	Los Angeles, CA	1			
	Maria R. Matson	Bell Gardens, CA	1			
Regional Planning	Michel Toguchi	Montebello, CA	1			
Adult Total				15		
First District Total					21	

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Second District	Youth	Community Development Commission	Chantis Johnson	Los Angeles, CA	1
		LAC+USC Healthcare Network	Hari Patel	Los Angeles, CA	1
		Parks and Recreation	Morgan Simon	Gardena, CA	1
	Youth Total	3			
	Adult	Board of Supervisors, Second District	Alice Wilder	Los Angeles, CA	1
			Wini Jackson	Inglewood, CA	1
		Health Services, Martin Luther King, Jr., Multi-Service Ambulatory Care Center	Jamesetta Glosson Hammons	Compton, CA	1
		Museum of Natural History	Johanna Dawes	Los Angeles, CA	1
		Public Library	John Edwards	Los Angeles, CA	1
		Registrar-Recorder/County Clerk	Ronald Engen	Los Angeles, CA	1
	Adult Total	6			
Second District Total					9

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Third District	Youth	Board of Supervisors, Third District	Eli Kogan	Los Angeles, CA	1
			Jacob Feiler	Los Angeles, CA	1
			Max Thoeny	Santa Monica, CA	1
		Consumer Affairs	Daniel Sokolovsky	Los Angeles, CA	1
		District Attorney, Victim Witness Assistance	Courtney Kiehl	Los Angeles, CA	1
		Health Services, Olive View-UCLA Medical Center	Corina Marie Palomera	San Fernando, CA	1
	Youth Total				6
	Adult	Beaches and Harbors	Michael Lawrence Blum	Woodland Hills, CA	1
		Board of Supervisors, Third District	Les Jones	Santa Monica, CA	1
		Los Angeles Superior Court	Lee Grant	Encino, CA	1
			Lisa M. Atwood	Van Nuys, CA	1
		Probation	Chaplain Velma J. Caradine	Sylmar, CA	1
		Public Social Services	Susan Yackley	Los Angeles, CA	1
	Adult Total				6
Third District Total					12

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Fourth District	Youth	Board of Supervisors, Fourth District	Brian Lopez	Rowland Heights, CA	1
			Margarita Chavez	Whittier, CA	1
		Board of Supervisors, Second District	DeJa Montgomery	Norwalk, CA	1
		Community and Senior Services	Joseph Figueroa	San Pedro, CA 90731	1
		Health Services, Harbor-UCLA Medical Center	Victoria Hewitt	Rolling Hills Estates, CA	1
		Health Services, Rancho Los Amigos National Rehabilitation Center	Warren High School Red Cross Club	Downey, CA	1
		Registrar-Recorder/County Clerk	Laura Sanchez	NORWALK, CA	1
	Sheriff--Explorer	Chazz Siquiedo	Bellflower, CA	1	
	Youth Total				8
	Adult	Alternate Public Defender	Nicole Shimoda	Rowland Heights, CA	1
		Consumer Affairs	Bob Lessig	Hacienda Heights, CA	1
		District Attorney, Victim Witness Assistance	Constance Sullivan	Palos Verdes Estates, CA	1
		Health Services, Harbor-UCLA Medical Center	Lupe Tondee	Long Beach, CA	1
		Los Angeles Superior Court	Alison Wilcox	Manhattan Beach, CA	1
		Mental Health	Bess Crawford	San Pedro, CA	1
		Parks and Recreation	Cris Mojica	Whittier, CA	1
Public Health		Nirvi A. Shah, MPH	Palos Verdes Peninsula,	1	
Sheriff - Civilian		Denny Reed	Lakewood, CA	1	
Adult Total				9	
Fourth District Total					17

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Fifth District	Youth	Children and Family Services	Krystin Murakami	San Gabriel, CA	1	
		Health Services, High Desert Health System	Awbrea Marquise Moss	Lancaster, CA	1	
		Museum of Natural History	John Garrett	Pasadena, CA	1	
		Public Defender	Hayden Betts	Pasadena, CA	1	
	Youth Total					4
	Adult	Animal Care and Control	Clare Storey	Castaic, CA	1	
		Arts Commission/Ford Theatre	Bob Alexander	Northridge, CA	1	
			Gerri Alexander	Northridge, CA	1	
		Board of Supervisors, Fifth District	Len Hobbs	Los Angeles, CA	1	
			Lynda Siminske	Los Angeles, CA	1	
		Board of Supervisors, Fourth District	Jeanne Powers	Lancaster, CA	1	
			Stephen J. Lu	San Gabriel, CA	1	
		Children and Family Services	Robert W. Swanson	Valencia, CA	1	
		Health Services, High Desert Health System	Walter McKinney Eckroth	Lancaster, CA	1	
		Health Services, LAC+USC Healthcare Network (CARES)	The National Charity League, San Marino Chapter	San Marino, CA	1	
		Health Services, Olive View-UCLA Medical Center	Kay Goeden	Tujunga, CA	1	
		Los Angeles Superior Court	Jeffrey A. Field, Esquire	La Crescenta, CA	1	
		Museum of Natural History, William S. Hart	Don Haus	Valencia, CA	1	
		Public Health	Annelise Lupica	La Canada, CA	1	
Adult Total					14	
Fifth District Total					18	

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Orange County	Adult	Military and Veterans Affairs	Glen L. Roosevelt	Anaheim Hills, CA	1
	Adult Total				1
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Santa Barbara	Adult	Sheriff--Reserve	Ron Bollig	Upland, CA	1
	Adult Total				1
Santa Barbara Total					1
Santa Barbara County	Adult	Fire	Keith D. Cullom	Goleta, CA	1
	Adult Total				1
Santa Barbara County Total					1
Grand Total					80